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Subject: 19DN02 -Denton County Confederate Monument (RTHL)

Dear CHC/Sponsor,

We regret to inform you that your application was not accepted for the 2019 marker application period. This determination in no way reflects the quality of the topic as all applications are important to THC staff. Unfortunately, there is a state-mandated limit of topics that may be selected each year. For 2019, staff were given a marker quota of no more than 170 and thus had to be very selective focusing on complete applications that scored well in all categories. With 237 applications received, some of the applications were cancelled due to non-payment of the application fee, missing items, a low score, integrity issues, etc. Please see below for an explanation from marker staff.

Marker application #19DN02 -Denton County Confederate Monument (RTHL) was cancelled due to the following: property and monument are already part of a State Antiquities Landmark (SAL); application scored low in the integrity (part of the statue missing, one of the orbs that are on either side of the soldier), documentation (narrative missing elements such as construction of the monument - the architecture), and diversity (two plaques already present on site).

We greatly appreciate your application and the opportunity to review the application.

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